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Day & Martin's
VERY superior Blacking Cakes, for sale
by JAMES KENNEDY & SON.
September 25

This day is published,
AND for sale at the bookstore of
JAMES KENNEDY & SON,
**The Controversy between M.
B. & Quero.**
which appeared in the Alexandria newspapers
in the year 1817, on some points of
ROMAN CATHOLICISM:
To which is added AN APPENDIX, con-
taining a brief notice of Luther-of In-
dulgence; of the Inquisition; and of
the Order of the Jesuits.
BY A PROTESTANT.
Price in boards one dollar. Sept 3

Books and Stationery.
ROBERT GRAY has just received for
sale on commission, an invoice of
Books and Stationery, among which are the
following articles, viz:
Sir Robert Wilson's sketch of the military
and political power of Russia
Phillips's speeches; They's bookkeeping
Say's catechism of political economy
Manners & customs; Accidents of life
Gishourne's natural theology
Adams's history of all religions
Bennett's letters; history of the late war
Volney's Ruins; Browne of Bodsbeck
The Sisters; Pope's Essay on Man
Tales of my Landlord; Taylor's Inquiry
Travels at home; Domestic Medicine
Debates of the Virginia Convention, on
the adoption of the Federal Constitution
Wright's Life of Christ and his apostles
Bonnet boards by the gross, dozen or single;
superfine vellum cap writing paper
August 28

New Publications, &c. &c.
Just received and for sale by the subscribers,
TALES of my Landlord, 2 vols. 2nd se-
ries
New Tales, by Mrs. Opie, 2 vols
Capt. Hall's Account of a voyage of Dis-
covery to the West Coast of Corea, and the
Great Lo-Choo Island, with a chart
Bonycastle's Algebra
Commerci's Surveying
JAMES KENNEDY & SON.
September 23

New Books.
Just received on consignment, and for sale
by the subscribers,
TALES of my Landlord, second series
New Tales, by Mrs. Opie
Zion's Pilgrim, by Robert Hawker, D.D.
Events of the French Revolution, by the
Baron de Stael; O'Reilly's Greenland
Johnson's quarto dictionary, vol. 1
Taylor's Arator, 4th edition
Ralph's tour on the continent
Village sermons; Olive-Branch
Dwight's geography for schools, in which
Europe is divided according to the late act
of the congress of Vienna. Also,
A few copies of Bible News or Sacred
Truths relating to the Living God, his only
Son, and Holy Spirit, by Noah Worcester,
A.M. Oct 16 ROBERT GRAY.

General Land Agency.
THE subscriber at the request of several
non-residents and under a belief
that an agency of this kind is much wanted
in the state of Kentucky, will undertake in
future, to give NON-RESIDENTS such
information as they may desire respecting
their lands—will also undertake to investi-
gate claims, pay taxes, &c.
He has also formed a connexion with Mr.
Samuel Smith, of Kaskaskia, and will un-
derstand to have transmitted and recorded
Deeds for Military Land in the Illinois Ter-
ritory, and will also undertake to have en-
tered Public Lands in said Territory, and
taxes paid for non-residents.
He has also an agent at Washington City,
and will undertake to have any claims upon
government liquidated and settled.
The subscriber still continues to practice
LAW in the several counties of Fayette,
Woodford, and Jessamine. All business
confided to his care, will receive the strict-
est attention. DAN. MC. PAYNE.
Lexington, Ky. July 14th, 1818
[October 19]

Bank of Potomac,
October 3, 1818.
NOTICE is hereby given the stock-
holders of the Bank of Potomac, that an
election for twelve directors will be held at
the Court House, on Monday the 2nd day
of Nov. next. The election to commence
at 10, and end at 3 o'clock.
By order of the board,
Oct 3 C. PAGE, Cashier.

50 Dollars Reward.
ABSCONDED on Saturday morning, the
15th inst. negro George, or George
Griffin, the property of Miss McCall, by
trade a nailer, and understands some part
of the blacksmith's business; he is about
30 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high,
stout made, very black complexion, large
eyes and mouth, with thick lips. He is a
very artful fellow and has been in the habit
of obtaining himself as a free man, and will
no doubt attempt to pass as such, and pro-
bably get work—a down look when
spoken to.—His clothes not recollected, hav-
ing various suits.
A reward of 10 dollars will be given if
taken in the town or county, 20 in the coun-
ty of Washington or Fairfax, or the above
reward if taken 50 miles from town, with
all reasonable charges if brought home.
Masters of vessels are cautioned against
harboring or carrying off said runaway, as
they will be dealt with according to law.
JAMES SANDERSON.
August 17

Piano Fortes.
TWO elegant fine toned Piano Fortes,
with the additional keys, for sale by
JAS. KENNEDY & SON.
September 9

S. & D. Reed,
HAVE just received a fresh supply of
the following kinds:
1000 pair women's leather pumps
400 do do thick soles
300 misses' do do
500 ladies' morocco slippers
200 do do with heels
500 do low priced morocco slippers
500 children's morocco and leather
shoes
500 men's & boys' bound leather shoes
400 men's low priced fur hats
400 do and boys' wool do
100 boys' white do
10 boxes lemons
All the above articles are offered for
sale at low prices for cash, and at the usual
credit to punctual customers.—Country
Merchants can be supplied at Northern
Prices.
August 28

Stationery.
JUST received and for sale by the sub-
scribers, the following articles of very
superior quality—
Black lead pencils
Quills
Penknives
Pocket-books
Mathematical instruments
Copy and cyphering books, record books,
and other blank books of every description;
with every article in the stationery line.—
Orders for blank books executed with ele-
gance and dispatch.
July 21 JAMES KENNEDY & SON.

For Sale,
B special appointment, Dr. Dean's ge-
nuine
Vegetable Rheumatic Pills:
So celebrated in New-England for the
many remarkable cures which they have
wrought, some of which are particularized
in the papers of directions, where many
thousand boxes are used annually to gen-
eral satisfaction.
These pills are recommended by men of
the first characters in the state of Massachu-
setts. JAMES KENNEDY & SON.
September 24

Exchange & Broker's Office,
Georgetown, District of Columbia.
ROMULUS RIGGS,
AT his office, next door below Craw-
ford's tavern, Bridge-st. Georgetown,
will exchange all kinds of Bank Notes on
the most reasonable terms.—All persons
who may have notes on the banks of North
Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia,
would do well to call on him, as he is
largely in the purchase of that kind of mo-
ney, and will take it on the most reasona-
ble terms.—Persons travelling to the West-
ern Country may at all times get the Bank
Notes of the Western Banks as a fair dis-
count, by calling at his Office. For the in-
formation of all persons throughout the U.
States, R. Riggs makes it known, that all
of the Banks of the District of Columbia
pay their notes on demand in specie; and
it would be much to the advantage of the
merchants, and trading to the South and
west, to encourage the circulation of the
Notes of the Banks of Georgetown, Wash-
ington and Alexandria, as it will at all
times answer for remittances to the large
commercial and Atlantic towns;—all per-
sons emigrating or travelling to the west-
ward should be very particular and take
the Notes of the Banks of the District of
Columbia, as they will find them the most
current, there being no counterfeiters on the
District Banks. The Merchants' Bank of
Alexandria has long since failed—all per-
sons should be on their guard, they will
be imposed on.
August 18

Ten Dollars Reward.
RAN away from the subscriber about
the 4th of August, Negro Woman
LOUIZA—she is 23 years old, about 5 feet
five inches high, and stout; has some of her
front teeth out, and is apt to laugh when
spoken to; she has a sister Marinda and
a mother living in Georgetown, one above
Semmes's tavern, and the other on Herring
Hill, where she has been harbored for two
weeks, and left there to come home; but
has not done so. I expect she can be found
in Georgetown or Alexandria, where she
has many acquaintances. I will give the
above reward if brought home, or lodged
in jail so that I get her again.
ROBERT HARPER.
Prince George's co. Maryland,
September 8

Jones's Point.
THE subscriber presents due respect to
the gentlemen of Alexandria and its
neighborhood, for their liberal encourage-
ment since the commencement of his es-
tablishment, and solicits a continuance of
their support, informing them that he com-
mences, on Monday the 19th instant, Oys-
ter supper, which will be continued during
the season, and for choice wines, liquors,
and moderate charges, cannot be excelled.
Those who have not visited his tavern, will,
on trial, find his accommodation to surpass
their expectation.
Gentlemen who wish to become subscri-
bers for duck shooting this season, will
please to forward their names to me, as the
number is limited, and only a few are want-
ed to make up the subscription. No per-
sons permitted to land on the point except
his friends. There is a good carriage road,
nearly completed, and a warm stable for
horses.
J. JONES.
Jones's Point, October 13

Soft shelled Almonds.
LINDSAY & HILL have just received
and for sale,
150 bags soft shelled almonds, and
5 hds and 40 lbs old rye whiskey
They wish to purchase FLAXSEED.
October 12

Muscovado Sugar.
TWO hds prime Muscovado sugar
—just received per schooner George
Washington, from Norfolk, for sale by
JOHN JACKSON & Co.
Oct 6

Mandeville & Larmour
OFFER FOR SALE,
90 hds Barbadoes and Trinidad mo-
20 lbs do do
400 bags green and St Domingo coffee
45 hds 1st and 2d quality sugars
75 lbs do do
20 puncheons West India Rum
80 hds & 40 lbs northern do
100 chests and boxes superior gunpow-
der, imperial and young hyson teas, chiefly
Sidney's and Stag's cargoes
600 reams writing paper
400 do wrapping do
350 boxes mould and dipt candles, first
15,000 lbs hard soap [Qualities
20 lbs rosin—with wines, liquors and
groceries as usual. Sept 21

Just Landing,
FROM brig Susan, from Portland, and
for sale at the cabinet warehouse, low-
er end of Prince-street,
Carriages, Waggon, &c.
together with Furniture and Chairs, viz:
3 top carriages, with plated harness
14 Jersey waggons, with harness
Bureaus; tables; sideboards
Dressing glasses; bedsteads; chairs
A few barrels No 1 mackerel
in stone.
A general assortment of goods in his line
—comprising the best variety in the district
of Columbia: all of which will be sold low.
ON HAND,
Mahogany, in logs and boards.
Furniture, &c. made and repaired as
usual.
SAMUEL WARD.

Feathers, Shot, &c.
EIGHT hundred lb. five Tennessee fea-
37 tons patent shot [these
37 chests superior young hyson tea,
mostly Unicorn's cargo,
12 c-ks 1st quality Goshen cheese
20 boxes chocolate
100 lbs cloves
10 Kegs ground ginger
2 tierces rice.
Just received and for sale by
MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR.
September 30

Bank Notes.
1000 to 50,000 Dollars.
ROMULUS RIGGS,
At his Exchange and Broker's Office, Bridge-
street, Georgetown.
WISHES to purchase from one to fifty
thousand dollars of North Carolina,
South Carolina, and Georgia bank notes,
which will be taken at a very small dis-
count. All kinds of western and other in-
current bank notes exchanged on the low-
est terms.—Persons travelling to the west-
ward can at all times get the notes of these
banks at a reasonable discount.—Bills of
exchange and bank checks, negotiated on
any part of the United States.—Notes of
United States bank, and all of the branches,
exchanged.
Georgetown, one door below Craw-
ford's tavern, October 17.

New Fancy Goods
AND HARDWARE.
THE subscriber has just received a new
and splendid assortment of goods in
his line, which in addition to his former
stock will enable him to offer to the pub-
lic a greater variety of useful and fashiona-
ble goods than can be seen in any other
house in the town—all of which have been
carefully selected by himself, from the best
English and American manufacturers, and
shall be sold at a very low advance whole-
sale and retail.
October 12

Combs.
He also continues to manufacture Combs,
and has now on hand a large supply of dif-
ferent kinds of Tortoise-shell, Ivory and
Horn Combs, 25 per cent lower than he
has usually sold them.
Country dealers would find it to their
advantage to call and view his assortment
before they make a purchase.
THOMAS MOUNT.
October 12

Baer & Co.'s
Improved Patent Cooking Stoves.
THE improvement of those stoves on
the original patent, at New-York, con-
sists in the stands on which the pots and
kettles are set. The original ones are set
on wooden stools, which are liable to upset.
The improved ones are set on iron stands,
which are fastened to the stoves, and are
perfectly secure.
All the appendages of the improved stoves
are of first rate workmanship, and may be
obtained at the manufacturer's prices, with
a great variety of new patterns of close and
open stoves. Apply to
CHARLES SLADE,
Agent for Wm. Baer & Co.
Oct 10

Notice.
THE subscriber intending to close his
business in Alexandria, requests all
persons having claims against him, to pre-
sent them for adjustment by or before the
15th inst. and those indebted to him, to
make payment.
FR. ADAMS, Jr.
October 6

Tobacco and Segars.
JUST received and for sale, first quality
Chewing Tobacco,
AND
Fine flavored Spanish Segars.
Sept 29 WM. DEVAUGHN.

Furniture, &c.
NICHOLAS BLASDELL & Co. have
for sale at their warehouse in Fairfax-
street, a variety of Furniture,
Jersey Waggon, &c.
comprising an elegant assortment; together
with high-post, field and common
Bedsteads.
They manufacture, and will keep con-
stantly on hand for sale,
Fancy & Windsor Chairs.
Old Chairs repaired and painted on
short notice.
October 8

L. Masterson,
BOOT AND SHOE-MAKER.
RETURNS his grateful thanks to his
friends and the public in general, for
the liberal patronage he has received in his
line of business, and hopes they will con-
tinue it. He has on hand a good assort-
ment of the best Philadelphia leather, which
he intends manufacturing in the best man-
ner; for neatness and durability it will be
excelled by none. He has on hand a good
assortment of
Boots, Booties and Shoes,
which he will sell on reasonable terms for
cash, or to punctual customers at the usual
credit, at his old stand opposite the Gazette
office, Royal-street.
N. B. Two boys of good disposition
would be taken as apprentices to the above
business. Those from the country would
be preferred.
August 24

French Language.
WM. LANPHER
INTENDS opening an Evening School
on the 15th inst. at 7 o'clock, for the
purpose of teaching the rudiments of the
French language. Applicants can leave
their names at Doctor STABLEY's shop.
The following certificate is subjoined for
their satisfaction.
[Translation.]
Having had the pleasure of a daily inter-
course with Mr. Lanpher for several months
past, we the undersigned certify, that from
the profound knowledge he possesses of the
French language, no person is more capab-
le than he of teaching its rudiments and
different idioms (which constitute a part of
it), and indeed the most correct pronun-
ciation. We have also had an opportunity
of conversing with several of the scholars
of the same gentleman, who, without ever
having been in France, speak good French.
PAUL M. GEBERT.
Doct. and Surg.
EUGENE SHERIDAN.
Alexandria, June 24, 1818. Sept 7

Barn Landing Fishery.
I WILL rent this excellent fishery, for 5
years or less; application can be made
to me personally or by letter, addressed to
Pohick Church, Fairfax Co. Va. It will be
useless to offer less than 300 dollars, that
sum having already been refused.
GEORGE MASON.
Gunston, October 5

Notice.
ALL persons having unsettled accounts
with the late concern of N. & R. Black-
lock, are hereby requested to bring them to
the subscriber for adjustment without delay,
as the affairs of that firm must be settled
within a limited time; and those indebted
will please discharge their accounts as soon
as possible, to
ROBERT S. BLACKLOCK,
Who continues the
Grocery Business,
at the same stand, in King-street, and in-
vites the friends of the late firm to call on
him for supplies as usual.
September 7

Advertisement.
ABSCONDED from the subscriber's
service, on Saturday night the 15th
inst. Negro woman TREACE or TREACY
—she is five feet two or three inches high,
about 30 years of age, of a very dark com-
plexion, and when particularly examined is
very apt to confound herself.—It is
deemed unnecessary to mention her clo-
thing, as she has all of them with her, and
being extremely artful, she no doubt will
change them and endeavor to pass for a
free woman. She is well acquainted in
Charles county, Prince George's, Alexan-
dria and the City, as about 5 years ago she
made her escape, and was 6 or 7 months
about the Lower Ferry, leading to Alexan-
dria, and from thence to Washington City,
where she acquired an extensive acquain-
tance among the Negroes belonging to John
Brent, esq.; and the greater part of said
Negroes belong now to William and Ro-
bert Brent, esqrs. and Mr. Dudley Diggs.
Negro Treace has a scar on the back part
of her neck, occasioned by a scorpion put for
the benefit of her eyes, which are very
weak at this time. I will give 10 dollars
if taken in the county and secured in jail,
or if out of the county and secured as afore-
said, so that I get her again, 25 dollars,
and all reasonable charges paid if brought
home. All persons are forewarned har-
boring or employing said Negro at their
peril, as the law will be rigorously put in
force against any offender.
THOMAS BURGESS.
Charles co. Maryland, near
Port-Tobacco, Aug. 24 d3(Tu

Notice.
I HAVE removed my residence from
Alexandria to Stafford county, Va.
and shall hereafter attend the Inferior and
Superior Courts of Stafford and Prince Wil-
liam counties, and the Superior Court of
Chancery at Fredericksburg. My unfinished
business in the Circuit Court for the
county of Alexandria is left in the hands of
WILLIAM HERBERT, Jr. who will at-
tend to its completion, and to whom those
interested will please apply. Letters ad-
dressed to me must be directed to Aquia
Post-office, Stafford county, Virginia.
Sept 28 1m J. D. SIMMS.

Bolting Cloths.
THE subscriber has this day received a
large and elegant assortment of Bol-
ting Cloths, of a superior quality, which
will be offered for sale at the store of
Messrs. Butts & Cawood, King-street,
Alexa; where he intends keeping a com-
plete assortment in future.
Sept 6 AMOS ALEXANDER.

Notice.
THE partnership heretofore existing be-
tween the subscribers, under the firm
of ROBERTS & ALLEN, was dissolved on
the 6th instant, by mutual consent. All
persons having claims, as well as those in-
debted to the copartnership, are requested
to apply to JOHN ROBERTS for settle-
ment.
JOHN ROBERTS,
DAVID H. ALLEN.
The Grocery, Flour and Commission
Business, will be continued by the subscri-
ber, at the usual place.
September 28 JOHN ROBERTS.
dlw&Tsw

Stop the Swindler.
FIFTY DOLLARS REWARD.
I WILL give the above reward for ap-
prehending and lodging in any jail in the
District of Columbia, a person by the name
of JOHN POST, a Bricklayer and Stone-
mason, who has been at work for about two
months past at Fort Washington, and was
discharged on the 7th of September inst.
He says he was born in the state of New-
York; is about 5 feet 9 or 10 inches high,
and has sandy hair; he had with him an
apprentice boy, nearly grown. A few days
previous to his leaving Fort Washington
he took the liberty of borrowing, in the
name of Mr. John Cohagen, from a lady at
that place 15 dollars, which was not known
till after he left it; and immediately after
he was discharged and paid off, he forged
two checks in the name of the Subscriber,
on the Farmers' Bank of Alexandria, one
of which he procured the money for at the
Bank, and the other he passed to a person
in Alexandria, which was detected and
refused.—Previous to his coming to Fort
Washington, he worked in the City of
Washington; where he said he intended to
work again; but it is probable he has not
stopped so near the theatre of his villainy.
Persons are cautioned against being im-
posed on by him. BOLIVIA LAWS.
September 16

New Publications.
JUST Received and for sale by the
subscribers,
Capt. Tuckey's Narrative of an
Expedition to explore the River Zaire,
usually called the Congo, in South-
ern Africa, in 1816, to which are ad-
ded the Journal of Professor Smith,
and some general observations on its
Inhabitants, published by Permission
of the Lords of the admiralty.
The possibility of approaching the
North Pole asserted by the Hon. D.
Barrington, with an appendix con-
taining Papers on the same Subject,
and on a Northwest Passage, by Col.
Beaufoy, F. R. S. Illustrated with a
Map of the North Pole, according to
the latest Discoveries.
Hobhouse's Historical Illustrations
of the fourth Canto of Childe Harold,
containing Dissertations on the Ruins
of Rome, and an Essay on Italian Li-
terature.
Joyce's Dialogues in Chemistry for
the amusement and instruction of
young people, 2 vols.
The Brownie of Bodsbeck and other
Tales, by James Hogg, Author of
Queen's Wake, &c.
Marringe, a novel.
The Bachelor and the Married
Man do.
Foliage, a Poem, by Leigh Hunt.
The Fudge Family in Paris.
Zuma, or the Tree of Health, and
other Tales, by Mad. de Genlis.
A Help to the profitable Reading
of the Holy Scriptures, by the Rev.
Edward Bickersteth.
The Testimony of Natural Theo-
logy to Christianity, by Dr. Gisborne.
The Life of Mrs. Isabella Graham.
Mrs. Martha Ramsay.
Rev. Dr. Buchanan.
Dr. Watson, Bishop of
Landaff.
Ellis's Account of Lord Amherst's
Embassy to China.
Rambles in Italy, by an American.
Rob Roy Mc Gregor; or Auld
Lang Syne; a Musical Drama.
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A FABLE.

There was a Cow kept in the mead,
(So ancient chronicles have said);
She crop'd the grass in peace and quietness;
And chew'd her cud with great sedateness;
Drank freely of the limpid brook;
And looked as sleek as cow could look;
Nor night nor morning did she fail
With richest milk to fill the pail.
Thus did she live, till on a day,
A hawling Bullock came that way;
Some "Hunt or Cobble" of the flock;
Who roar'd Reform, with open throat;
He baw'd as loud as he was able,
And said (for heats still speak in fable.)
That she, and all the herd were wrong;
Which he could prove by reason strong;
That being a Steer of feeling mind;
Out of pure pity to his kind,
He chose the arduous occupation,
To set to rights the horned nation.
He then began a long discourse;
'Bout equal rights and reform;
He said, the members of her frame,
From heart to hoof, were all the same;
That feet and legs, and back and belly,
Were all of equal use and value;
Nor knew he why the tail was led
Still by the aristocratic head.
For tho' the head had ears and eyes,
The tail could better beat off flies;
And far more fit were rumps and haunches
Than head and horns, to push down fences;
Nor better was the mouth one grain
Than other parts, which I won't name.
The simple Cow, no better knowing,
Began to listen to his loving;
Her head grew light, her mind grew restless,
Her food, and easy life, grew tasteless;
No more her head and horns she tho't on,
All now was for the new tail doctrine;
Tail foremost to the fence she flew,
And to the ground the fence soon threw;
Triumphant now, she went full sail,
Under the conduct of her tail—
O'er rocks and stones, through mud & mire,
And sum'd at all attempts to stay her;
Till on a precipice's brink
Arriv'd—Rump would not stop to think,
But still urg'd on—And down she goes,
A mangled corpse, and food for Crows.

* In the original, Paine or Godwin.
† In the original, Revolution.

Original Miscellany.

Mr. Edmon.

It is not many weeks ago that being with a chosen party of friends, and the conversation having turned upon my credulity and the incurable superstition with respect to dreams which I never hesitate to acknowledge, an argument arose upon the subject, in which the only share I took was to state a multitude of cases which had long before placed my faith quite beyond the reach of argument. There were some ladies present, and of course the whole doctrine of dreams that related to matrimony, matrimonial omens, and prognostications of weddings, particularly those obtained from the powerful operation of a piece of wedding cake drawn through a wedding ring immediately after the nuptial ceremony, and placed under the pillow of the person wishing for information on the subject, was fully canvassed, and brought to my recollection the following facts, of which, however, I said nothing at the time, for reasons you will readily conceive.

About two years ago, being at a merry meeting in the country, the company after dinner entertained themselves with telling each other's fortune, in which I could not help observing the various means made use of by the ladies to discover what information they could get on the article of matrimony—such as whether their husband should be rich or poor, handsome or ugly, good natured or surly—what would be the color of their hair, &c.; in the warmth of their inquiries respecting which, it was easy to perceive, on the part of each, a leading to some particular youth more favored than any other—and not less easy to see that the sooner the event took place the better the inquirer would be pleased. I heard one lady in particular, in close conversation with another, in which her earnestness made her louder than she ought to be, observe that at her cousin's wedding she had procured some of the cake, and, by laying it under her pillow that night, had dreamed of the member of congress for her district; and that as the dream took place in the beginning of the night, she was sure it would not be long till she should visit the seat of government with her husband; an event which she had set her heart upon. This conversation amused me not a little; but being soon after called out to dance, I lost all thought of it for some time, when one morning a servant delivered me a letter with an invitation to dine with a couple who had been married that morning. I readily obeyed the summons; and after the usual form of ceremony was over, was presented by the bride with a small bit of the wedding cake wrapped up in writing paper, which I understood was for the same purpose the lady had mentioned at the party. I made use of it accordingly, by laying it

under my pillow when I went to bed; where, soon after, falling asleep, I dreamed that sitting in my garden, I saw three ladies approach me, whom I perfectly well knew. Upon their near arrival, the eldest ran forward to the place where I was sitting, and after some short conversation, turned to my right hand, and disappeared. The second came forward in the same manner as the former, and after some few compliments having passed, disappeared also; when the third came up, she seated herself by me, demanded the name of a book I had been reading, and by her asking a number of frivolous questions, an altercation ensued between us, and I left her abruptly. When I awoke in the morning I remembered my dream, and immediately entered it in my memorandum book, intending to observe how far it would come true. In about twelve months after, being at a dance where the two first ladies that came up to me in my dream were in company, and as she that came up first seemed to "find favor in my sight," I began to pay my addresses to her, and in a short time after received her hand at the altar. Thus, so far my dream has come true—and I am sometimes under a depression of spirits for fear the remainder of it should come true also. The lady to whom I am now married is what the flattering part of the world calls a beautiful woman; her free and good natured disposition ranks her with the most amiable of her sex; and I am perpetually fearful of losing so very valuable a spouse. The next lady that came up (in my dream) after this, and wheeled to the right, is a remarkable fine, handsome woman; her disposition is, if possible, more amiable still than that of the former; and I have not the least doubt but a man might lead the most happy life with so amiable a partner. But the third lady is very far from handsome, and what is worse, is of so quarrelsome and disagreeable a disposition that scarcely a servant will stay a month in the house where she resides.—She is continually raising quarrels in the neighborhood, and is so universally disliked, that her acquaintances are determined to drop all intercourse with "such a little rixen." If the other part of my dream must come about, my case will be deplorable. After having passed a part of my life in the most happy manner, with two of the most amiable of their sex, at last to end my days with a scold, would be past all bearing, and the thought of it almost distracts me, as quarrelling is what I above all things abhor, and I should be likely to have more than enough for my share. I often curse the wedding cake and the whole business of dreaming, as they thus deprive me of my comfort, though I am in the most happy situation in the world.

Salem, (Mass.) Oct. 19.

On Monday afternoon last an awful murder, almost too shocking in its circumstances to describe or believe, was committed in Marblehead. The perpetrator was a young man by the name of David A. Phillips, about 23 years of age—and the victim, his own wife, only 19, just got to bed of her first child. The man, it is said, had before discovered a violent and malignant temper; and he seized the opportunity of a moment when the nurse was out of the room, (affecting some doubts, of which the character of the woman did not afford the shadow of a justification, of the legitimacy of the child) and aimed a blow with the hammer at the infant's head, which however was shielded by the arm of its mother, against whom the monster's cruelty was then turned, and he gave her a severe blow on the temple, together with several others on her head, and then cut her throat with a knife: the woman was however able to spring from her bed, and with her child in her arms run below stairs, where the first person she met was her own mother. The alarmed family and neighbors, on rushing into the chamber from whence Mrs. Phillips had escaped found the husband standing against the wall, profusely bleeding; having in the interim attempted to execute justice on himself by cutting his own throat. Mrs. Phillips lingered till Wednesday, on which day she died. The fatal wound was so deep as to be mortal. His own wound, we are told, is healing, and his own life will be prolonged for several trials—but we understand he discovers no compunction for the horrid deed, and continues in the same vindictive temper in which he committed it. The palliation of insanity is pleaded for him by some, and humanity would wish that this, rather than ungovernable passion, the parent of the worst of crimes, might be the cause and his defence.

From the Charleston Gazette, Oct. 17.

LATEST FROM FRANCE.

The regular trading ship *Portia*, Capt. J. H. Silliman, arrived at this port on Thursday evening, in 36 days from Bordeaux. By Capt. S. we have received a file of Bordeaux papers to the 1st Sept. inclusive, and "Galignani's Messenger," published at Paris, in English, to the 29th August.

Capt. Messervy, of the brig *Commerce*, has also furnished us with Havre papers, and Prices Currents to the 29th August.

Our commercial friends have politely supplied us with the latest letters from Bordeaux, extracts from which will be found below.

"*Prices at Havre-de-Grace, Aug. 28*—Cotton, Georgia, long staple, 41 65c a 4 95c; entrepot: do. do. short staple, 2 40 a 2 65; rice, Carolina, per fifty kilograms, 55 a 60, acquitted.

COMMERCIAL.

"Bordeaux, Sept. 1, 1818.

"Since our letter of 12th June, we have not thought it necessary to trouble you with advices, until something truly certain could be known respecting our crops. Their results being pretty nearly ascertained by the information we have collected from different quarters, and we can now say that the harvest falls very short from what was expected, having been materially injured by the drought. The threshing of corn proved very unproductive in the southern provinces of France. The reports from the western and northern ones, are not quite so unfavorable, but the after grains and potatoes have failed all over France; and in the south, Indian corn has been in a great measure destroyed by a scorching sun. Such is the apprehension of a real scarcity, that even at this epoch of the year, grain and flour have been on the advance. French flour has been sold as high as 62 a 64f. per barrel. American rye flour 40f; however, at this juncture, prices are abating a little, as the country people who are in want of money bring to market. We have no doubt but they will rise again, and that France will stand in need of large supplies from abroad. Rice, of course, will be a good article: it sells now from 58 a 60f. for your government.

"The crop of wine that was promising, both for the quality and the quantity, will likely prove reduced by the drought, and the excessive heat which still continues; however, the result is expected to be tolerably good; and a great reduction in the price of brandy is looked for towards the end of the year—we think that the 4th proof will be shipped from 400 a 450f. "Cotton continues dull, and very few sales take place, only for prime qualities; from 280 to 270f. for Georgia; Sea-Island totally wanted, would fetch from 520 a 540f. "Real Caracas cocoa goes off at 11. 80 a 87c in bond; demand for other sorts.

Coffee, which had been much inquired after, is of late in less request, at 11 70c a 80c in bond per foreign bottoms. Foreign sugars for exportation are pretty much in demand—Muscovado, 58 a 62f. Havana brown, 60 a 75f. white, per cwt. 75 a 83f short price.

"Prime qualities of tobacco are wanted, and would sell easily for 65 a 75f. for good Carolina; 75 a 90f for Virginia.

"Taking a general view of our market, the large public sales lately effected at Havre, and the sundry failures that broke out here, put a damp to business; but we entertain some hopes, that the trade will revive again in the course of October.

"We shall hear with pleasure our advices are both acceptable and useful: and should you be inclined to make a trial with our house, our best exertions would be used to convince you that no alteration has taken place in the manner of transacting business, and that our constant rule shall be to follow the same principles and practice, by which our worthy predecessor had obtained the confidence of many respectable houses of America.

"Bordeaux, Sept. 2, 1818.

"I mentioned in my last the dull state of our cotton market, but that it would probably increase in the course of a couple of months, which has been the case, and the article is now in demand at 270 a 280f for good quality; long staple is worth 480 a 500f, and prices are likely to keep up for some time. Rice has been sold at 58f.—there is very little in the market, and this price could still be obtained, but it will, no doubt, decline to about 40f. when the new crops come in: the first that arrives may perhaps bring something more.

"Tobacco is dull sale at 60 to 70f according to quality; that preferred here is a long, yellowish leaf, not too dark; Carolina hogsheads will not answer, as the deductions are very heavy on them.

"Coffee is scarce and in demand; good ordinary quality St. Domingo and Havana ring 35 a 37 sous in foreign bond. Brown Havana sugars, 60 a 68; white, 80 a 90 in bond.

"There is every appearance of a considerable fall in the price of brandy after vintage; at present it is worth 870 a 690f for fourth proof, according to quality."

Foreign Articles.

A LONDON REQUISITE.

A correspondent furnishes the following picture of an exquisite, alias a dandy, in distress:—"Walking along the side of one of the squares, last week, it was my fate to follow an exquisite—stocked and stayed, laced and bound, collared and

pilloried, in all the fashion—a scander, so strait, and so stiff, that a man of reasonable strength might have used it as a walking stick. This thing, flourishing a very nice perfumed handkerchief, happened to let it drop; the question was then how to get it up again—it could not, and I confess I enjoyed its distress; for though for any other female, I would have raised the handkerchief with alacrity, I wished to see how this creature would help itself. Then thus it was; having eyed the handkerchief ascant, something like a magpie peeping into a marrow bone, it gently spraddled out its legs, and lowering the body between them as in a sitting posture, it brought the left hand in contact with the object sought. What shall we say to the association of ideas, when I assure you that looking on this unmanly figure, brought into my mind the knights of old, who, when once unhorsed, could never from the weight and stiffness of their armor, hope to mount again?"—N. B. It is found remarkably convenient in such a case for the exquisite to carry a cane or stick with a hook at the end, as he may fish up any thing he unfortunately drops without breaking his back, or exciting the pity and risibility of the spectators.

DOG CASE EXTRAORDINARY.

A case which excited some interest, was heard yesterday—James Courtois, esq. of Paddington, a gentleman of the first respectability, was charged with dog stealing. The dog in question was of the Blenheim breed, the property, as stated, of a lady named Goldicot, and it was an animal which ladies, who crowded the court, appeared in love with.

Mr. Courtois had lost a dog on the 12th January last, and seeing the one in question, following the lady of the Rev. Mr. Meade, a young gentleman, he claimed it as his lost dog, and refused to give it up. The counsel for the prosecution stated it was not meant to impute to the Defendant that he was a dog stealer, nor was it the penalty which was sought after, but it was to recover back the dog which the defendant had mistaken for the one he had lost. Mr. Meade and the young gentleman, nephew of the Clergyman, were called to prove that the defendant had taken the dog from them which was admitted. The lady proved that she knew the dog for more than a year and a half, and it was then full grown. Since that time the dog had been in his possession, although not uninterruptedly. She was positive as to the identity of the animal.

Mrs. Ann Goldicot stated positively, that the dog was her's. It would be three years old next January, and she had it when a pup of a Mr. King. The dog was so much endeared to her that they could not mistake each other. The lady was positive as to the identity, and she described his marks.

The dog was here produced, and the Ladies on each side, called out "Fanny, my dear, my darling," &c. and the little creature first flew into the lap of Mrs. Courtois, who embraced him with much ecstasy.

Mr. King, who gave the dog to Mrs. Goldicot, swore positively to him, and produced the mother. He bought the mother in pup, and bred the dog in question.

The identity of the dog was sworn to by the servant, who washed and fed him, and by several other persons.

Mr. Alley, in a speech of much force, did not attribute any wrong motive to the opinions of any of the witnesses who no doubt swore to the best of their belief; but he observed that the dog was not like a poor child who wanted a parent—he having plenty of admirers.

He called a dozen respectable witnesses, who swore as firmly as the other side, that the dog belonged to Mr. Courtois, and amongst them were two fanciers, who swore that the dog was not two years old.

The Magistrates postponed their judgment, and the dog remains in the possession of Wales, the officer.

By Last Evening's Mail.

Philadelphia, Oct. 22.

FROM LIVERPOOL.
By the ship *Jane*, Bancroft, arrived yesterday morning, in 38 days from Liverpool, the Editors of the *Freeman's Journal* have received Liverpool papers to the 8th Sept.

Mr. Bonnin, a passenger, informed us verbally, that the Queen of England had a relapse of her disorder, was dangerously ill, and was not expected to recover.

The Manchester Spinners still continued refractory.

A decree of the French government had ordered the enrolment of 80,000 men from the different departments, from which 40,000 were to be detailed for active service, and distributed among the 68 French legions.

Seven young Students of Divinity at Jena have offered themselves to the English Missionary Society, to go to remote countries as Missionaries.

The corpse of Sir James Lucas Yeo, commander of the British naval force on Lake Ontario during the late war, was landed at Portsmouth from the frigate *Semiramis*, from Havana. Sir James died on board during the passage, from a liver complaint.

After the conclusion of the Congress at Aix-la-Chapelle, the three Allied Sovereigns, (Russia, Austria and Persia) intend to visit Na les and Rome.

Extract of a letter, per the ship *Jane*, from a very extensive manufacturing house at Manchester, to a respectable importing house in Philadelphia, dated September 5th, 1818.

"Our market is considerably on the advance, partly in consequence of the demand, and partly on account of the advance which is taking place in labor. The Blackburn calico manufacturers have, this week, advanced their weavers 1s per piece on 7-8 cloth, such as we print upon for your trade; and the weavers of other cloth have a proportionate advance given them—so that it will not be in our power to send you any more goods, without charging them 10 per cent. higher than our late prices."

London Corn Exchange Sept. 5.—We have had but few arrivals since Monday, and the wheat trade was dull at the prices of that day. English wheat, 65 a 70s; fine do. 86 a 90s. Foreign wheat 60 a 70s; fine do. 80 a 85s. Fine flour, 70 a 75s. per quart.

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HAS imported from London and Liverpool, and offers for sale, Superfine cloths and cassimeres, extra imperial Saxony's and Spanish Bombazets and bombazeens Scotch plaids: corded dummies London Swansdowns and toilettes Furniture calicoes; mustard Checkers, double glosier, dolphin and pine apple cheese Flannels, nulled and single Superfine ingrain carpeting, of superior quality and pattern. Best Bridport shad and herring twine Shoe thread and book-binder's thread Rose, druff and point blankets Irish linens; sheetings and long lawns Cambric and jaconett muslins Marseilles quiltings; a few sets stag handle knives and forks, with desert and carvers to match; Whitechapel needles in boxes sorted 1 to 11 September 5 dt1w&5w

Wine, Candles, Soap, &c.

JOHN H. LADD & Co. have received for sale, 4 pipes Scott's best Madeira wine 2 hhls of the last importation 4 qr casks of 100 boxes Hyde's mould candles, 4, 5, and 6 to the lb 100 boxes Boston ditto of various sizes 35 dipt candles (lbs each) 100 Hyde's best yellow soap, 25 lbs Windsor and fancy soap, of 6 dozen each; 50 lbs Baltimore prime pork 30 lbs New-York ditto 40 kegs small twist and 10 kegs cavendish tobacco, manufactured in Richmond, by E. Brown, and warranted equal if not superior to any other offered in this market. Also—36 kegs large and small twist tobacco, of common qualities. Oct 16

Samuel Ward

HAS just received by the schooner *Minerva*, from Boston, and for sale at the Cabinet Warehouse, lower end of Prince-street.

10 doz corn brooms, of superior quality 3 floor brushes; 6 wash stands 5 small bellows, very elegant 7 bed clogs, superior quality 1 coffee mills, good and low priced 2 French bats, low price 4 Philadelphia market baskets 3 Pembroke mahogany tables 1 small side board 24 bedsteads of different kinds On hand, Coarse and fine shoes; mahogany boards Few barrels No 1 mackerel Sackens bottoms made to any size 15 dozen sackens bottoms Oct 23

Employment Wanted.

A PERSON of collegiate education is desirous of obtaining a situation as private tutor, in the family of some gentleman. The most satisfactory testimonials can be given. A line addressed to A. G. at this office, will meet with immediate attention. Oct 22 St

Grand Piano Forte.

By Broadwood, London—for sale, cheap. TIME having proved it to be a sound piece of workmanship—the musical effects and improvements of the touch and tone which have taken place on these instruments for the last 20 years, have been applied to it by Thomas Western;—as such it is now pronounced, and recommended as a first rate Piano Forte. Apply second store below Mechanics' bank, King street. N. B. He will allow in exchange a fair price for Old Organs, or Pianos, being such as he approves. T. WESTERN, October 20 tuth

Shoe Manufactory.

THE subscriber respectfully informs the public that he has opened a shop in the brick house next door to Mr. Thomas J. Peyton's store, at the upper end of King-street, where he intends making and offering for sale all kinds of shoes and boots of the neatest and most substantial work. He will also keep a constant supply of coarse shoes and clogs, suitable for laborers. He promises to execute his work in the best manner, and hopes by his assiduity and attention he will merit a share of the public patronage. HENRY HOBBS, October 21 ws3C

To Farmers and others.

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C. Bennett

HAS imported from London and Liverpool, and offers for sale, Superfine cloths and cassimeres, extra imperial Saxony's and Spanish Bonnazetts and bombazeens Scotch plaids: corded dimities London Swansdowns and toilettes Furniture calicoes; mustard Cheesecake, double gloster, dolphin and pine apple cheese Flannels, milled and single Superfine ingrain carpeting, of superior quality and pattern. Best Bridport shad and herring twine Shoe thread and book-binder's thread Rose, duffel and point blankets Irish linens; sheetings and long lawns Combed and jaconet muslins Marseilles quiltings; a few sets stag handle knives and forks, with dessert and carvers to match; Whitechapel needles in boxes sorted 1 to 11

September 5 dtw&sw5w

Wine, Candles, Soap, &c.

JOHN H. LADD & Co. have received for sale, 2 pipes } Scott's best Madeira wine 2 blds } — of the last importation 4 qr casks } 100 boxes Hyde's mould candles, 4, 5, and 6 to the lb 150 boxes Boston ditto of various sizes 35 dipt candles } lbs each 100 Hyde's best yellow soap, 25 Windsor and fancy soap, of 6 dozen each; 50 bls Baltimore prime pork 30 bls New-York ditto 40 kegs small twist and 10 kegs caven-dish oil, manufactured in Richmond, by E. Brown, and warranted equal if not superior to any other offered in this market. Also—58 kegs large and small twist of hemp, of common qualities. Oct 16

Samuel Ward

HAS just received by the schooner Misch, from Boston, and for sale at the Cabinet Warehouse, lower end of Prince-street, 10 doz corn brooms, of superior quality 3 floor brushes; 6 wash stands 5 small bellows, very elegant 7 bed cogs, superior quality 1 coffee mills, good and low priced 2 French bats, low price 4 Philadelphia market baskets 3 Pembroke mahogany tables 1 small side board 24 bedsteads of different kinds

On hand, Coarse and fine shoes; mahogany boards 70 barrels No 1 mackerel Sack bottom made to any size 15 dozen sack bottom Oct 23

Employment Wanted.

A PERSON of collegiate education is desirous of obtaining a situation as private tutor, in the family of some gentleman. The most satisfactory testimonials can be given. A line addressed to A. G. at this office, will meet with immediate attention. Oct 22 3t

Grand Piano Forte.

By Broadwood, London—for sale, cheap. TIME having proved it to be a sound piece of workmanship—the musical effects and improvements of the touch and tone which have taken place on these instruments for the last 20 years, have been applied to it by Thomas Western;—as such it is now pronounced, and recommended as a first rate Piano Forte. Apply second store below Mechanics' bank, King street.

N. B. He will allow in exchange a fair price for Old Organs, or Pianos, being such as he approves. T. WESTERN, tuths. October 20

Shoe Manufactory.

THE subscriber respectfully informs the public that he has opened a shop in the brick house next door to Mr. Thomas J. Peyton's store, at the upper end of King-street, where he intends making and offering for sale all kinds of shoes and boots of the newest and most substantial work. He will also keep a constant supply of coarse shoes and clogs, suitable for laborers. He promises to execute his work in the best manner, and hopes by his assiduity and attention he will merit a share of the public patronage. HENRY HOBBS, ws3t* October 21

To Farmers and others.

THE Subscribers, just arrived from England, respectfully inform the public that they have formed an establishment at the upper end of King-street, in the town of Alexandria, where they propose to execute extensively, and in the most improved mode now used, the following Mechanical branches, viz: Mill work, of every kind, threshing machines, wheat fans, with most kinds of machinery, wagons, carts, ploughs, and every other implement used in agriculture—to which they will add the Horse-Joiner's and Carpenter's Work. Threshing machines having become generally useful in England and Scotland, it is presumed the American farmers will find it their interest to adopt them;—with the aid of two horses and three men, they will thresh fifteen bushels of wheat, every hour. Their wheat fans differ from those in use here, and it is believed they are on a plan better adapted to the object. They invite the public to call and examine their work, the neatness and durability of which, combined with great punctuality in executing any orders they may be favored with, will, they hope, entitle them to encouragement and support.

Further information respecting them may be obtained by applying to Anthony Crease and James H. Howe, esqrs. by whom they have been employed.

DINGLE, PERRY & CHARLES, October 21 ws3t*

Cohen's Office,

Masonic Hall Lottery.

15th day's drawing.
*8047 first drawn No. entitled to \$500
*10905, 11567, 13886, 7882 prizes of 100 12 prizes of 50
*Sold at Cohen's office.
The great cash capital prize of 50,000 Dollars!

Will be awarded to the first drawn No. on Wednesday next.

Whole tickets \$25
Halves 12 50
Quarters 6 25 ALL WARRANTED
Fifths 3 12 UNDRAWN
Eighths 1 50
Tenths 2 50

To be had at

COHEN'S

Lottery & Exchange Office,

110 Market-street. Where the 20,000 dollar prize, drawn on the 11th day, was sold; and where more CAPITAL PRIZES have been obtained than at any other office in America. Orders promptly attended to. October 23 3t

Corn Wanted.

WE wish to contract for 2000 bls Corn on the cob, to be delivered on or before 15th of November next,—for which cash will be paid on delivery. Oct 17 LINDSAY & HILL.

For Freight,

The schooner OLIVE-BRANCH, Capt. Fansworth, an excellent vessel, carries about 1000 bls. and will take freight for any eastern port on moderate terms. Apply to

LAWLASON & FOWLE,

Who have received per said schooner, and for sale, 120 tons of plaster. October 24

John H. Ladd & Co.

OFFER for sale the cargo of brig Charles & Ellen, viz, 90,000 feet boards 23 bls tanners' oil 23 bags green coffee bls and half bls salmon and shad.

For Sale or Freight,

The brig CHARLES & ELLEN, D. Clough master, burthen 182 tons, or 1800 barrels. She is a very superior and fast sailing vessel, in perfect order for any voyage, and will be ready for a cargo in five days. Apply as above.

For New-York.

The sloop ONLY-DAUGHTER, Capt. Schull, burthen 450 bls. For freight or passage apply as above. October 24

For Norfolk or Richmond.

The fine fast sailing schr SEA, Capt. Geo. Foxwell, will sail on Saturday next; for freight or passage apply to the captain on board, or Jeremiah Booth, Ramsay's wharf. October 23 3t

For Sale, Freight or Charter,

The substantial ship FAIR-TRADER, capt. George Fletcher, burthen 3800 barrels or 535 bls tobacco, now in complete order for the reception of a cargo and the performance of any voyage. For terms for the purchase of two-thirds, or freight of the whole, apply to NOBLET HERBERT, or FRANCIS ADAMS, jr. Oct 8

For Boston or New-York.

The sloop ALERT, Capt. Smith, burthen 500 bls, burthen, will take a freight to either of the above ports on moderate terms, and will be ready in 3 days to receive a cargo. Apply to Oct 22 LAWLASON & FOWLE.

For Pernambuco, and a market in Brazil,

AND BACK TO THIS PLACE. (To sail in ten days.) The substantial and very fast sailing brig PLANTER, Asa Bly, master, burthen 1000 bls. half of which is engaged. For freight of 500 bls. apply to the master on board, or T. H. HOWLAND. 10th mo 21 6t

For Bermuda,

(To sail in eight days.) The substantial and fast sailing brig DOVE, Peter Barrett master, has the principal part of her cargo ready to go on board. For freight of 200 bls. or passage apply to M. Miller, or T. H. HOWLAND. 10 mo 20 6t

For Freight,

The brig LYON, J. Alden, master, will take freight for the W. Indies, or coastwise. Apply to ABRAHAM ADAMS, Central whf. Who offers for sale said brig's cargo, consisting of 225 tons plaster Oct 19

For Sale or Freight,

The brig NANCY & MARY, captain Barnicoat, burthen about 2700 barrels, a good vessel, and can be ready for a cargo in a few days.

Also for Freight,

The ship MARIA, Wm. Morrell master, burthen 3600 barrels or 500 hogheads tobacco, in complete order for any voyage.

Also for Freight,

The brig VISITER, captain Thomas, burthen about 2500 bls. nearly a new vessel, and can be immediately ready for a cargo. Apply to Sept 1 LAWLASON & FOWLE.

For New-Orleans,

The fast sailing brig HUNTER, John Grinnalls master, a regular packet in the trade, will sail on the 26th November. For freight or passage, living excellent accommodations, apply to the master on board, or to the

THOMAS JANNEY & Co. September 8 3m

For Freight,

The brig CATHERINE, Neven Crawford, master, burthen 1400 bls she is a first rate vessel, only 3 years old, and will be ready for a freight to any part of the world in 6 days. Apply to JOHN H. LADD & Co. Who have for sale said brig's cargo of 656 cases fresh Thomastown line 15 M. merchantable boards 2 M. hirsch joist.

For Boston,

Or any Eastern Port. The new substantial schooner JOHN-GILMAN, J. Crockett, master, burthen 400 bls; for freight or passage apply to JOHN H. LADD & Co. Who have for sale on board said vessel 185 cases fresh Thomastown line. October 19

For Bermuda,

The new and superior brig PELOPE, Robert Snow, master, burthen 1000 bls. having half her cargo provided will take the remainder low on application to JOHN H. LADD & Co.

For Boston,

The good schooner ANN, Captain Emery, burthen 700 barrels—she will take 500 bls at moderate freight, and proceed immediately. Apply to JOHN H. LADD & Co.

Who have for sale, on board said vessel, 50M feet merchantable boards. October 12

Tailors Wanted.

TWO or three Journeymen Tailors are wanted immediately. Good workmen may expect steady employment. Oct 21 3t J. S. EMERSON.

Bran, Oats, Corn, &c.

THE subscriber has received and offers for sale at his store lower end of Prince street, 2000 bushels Bran 500 Shorts 1000 Oats 700 Rye and Rye meal 500 Corn, with a general assortment of groceries. JAMES ROBINSON. October 21 3t

New Cheese.

TWO thousand lbs. good Connecticut cheese in small casks. For sale by MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR. September 1

Notice to Distillers.

SIXTY to eighty empty whisky barrels to be sold on moderate terms, or exchanged for whisky. Apply to JACKSON STURGES, Lower end of Prince-street, Alex'a. stuth5w. October 12 2w T. CRUSE.

Just Received,

AND offered for sale by WM. & JOSEPH FEARSON, On Ramsay's wharf, 500 bunches onions (first quality) 25 dozen corn brooms; 9 bags coffee, And in store, 20 bls N. E. rum; 3 bls do 20 boxes soap and candles 10 bls whiskey; herrings & shad 50 bushels ship peas 60 reams rapper paper And a constant supply of groceries as usual. Oct 22 1w

Wheat.

I wish to purchase several thousand bushels of wheat, for which a liberal price will be given. THOMAS V. HUCK. 9th mo 16 1f

Flaxseed Wanted

By BARNEWALL & POPHAM, Who will pay the highest market price in cash. October 19

Antigua & Grenada Spirits.

A FEW puncheons of superior quality. Also, a parcel of Cocoa Nuts—for sale on liberal terms at No. 99 Union-st. September 30 N. REILLY.

More Fall Goods.

JUST received, per schooner General Green, and now opening for sale, a variety of Boots, Shoes & Binding Skins, making, together with those on hand, as great a variety as at any store in the District, which will be sold on the lowest terms for cash or approved paper.

N. B. Boots and shoes made as usual, and at short notice. JOHN H. RUNNELS, Agent for WM. TRUE, October 20 1f

Wm. True

HAS just received a fresh supply of Boots, Shoes and Hats, of the latest patterns and good quality, suitable for the present and approaching season, making, together with those of his own manufacture, a general assortment.

Also an assortment of LADIES' BEAVERS, of various colors and handsomely trimmed: all of the above articles are for sale on accommodating terms. All orders punctually attended to. Oct 5

Salt, Rum, &c.

450 SACKS Liverpool ground alum salt 1500 bushels do do do do 100 sacks do do do do 80 puncheons 3d pt. fine flavored West India Rum 80 bls 1st and 2d quality muscovado 300 bags prime green coffee 500 reams wrapping paper 600 lbs Spanish Hottel and Bengal indigo 5 pipes pure Holland gin 20 quarter casks sweet Malaga wine 40 casks London refined salt petre 4 bls North Carolina honey 600 lbs do beeswax Gunpowder, imperial, young hyson and hyson teas; old Jamaica spirits and cognac brandy; old port and Madeira wine Ground and raw ginger; pepper; alum Pimento; nutmegs; cloves; copperas Best flour for family use—with a general assortment of GROCERIES—all of which are offered for sale on moderate terms, by BRYAN HAMPSON & Co. September 8 3m

English & German Almanacs

For 1819,

WITH a large and general stock of school books and stationery, suitable for the country trade, for sale by JOHN A. STEWART. Oct 8

Teas.

THE subscribers have just received per sloop Eliza, from Philadelphia, and for sale, 50 qr chests of young Hyson Tea (from the cargoes per Clothier and Benj. Rush.) Oct 7 LAWLASON & FOWLE.

A Teacher Wanted.

A MALE or female Teacher is wanted in a private family, in Virginia, to instruct a few small children. Inquire of the printer. October 15.

Wanted to Purchase,

Three or four young horses, well broke to the saddle & harness: Also wanted to hire, by the year, a good Ostler. Apply to WM. B. STUART, Lower end of Duke-street, Alex'a.

Flaxseed.

I WILL give the highest market price in cash for flaxseed. Oct 12 FRANCIS ADAMS, Jr.

Just Received,

AND for sale on board the brig George Washington, captain Cushing, 700 bushels of hair, for plaster, which will be sold low if taken from on board. IN STORE, A general assortment of Dry Goods; also, spun cotton, knitting cotton, stocking yarn, all of which will be sold low, for cash, or short credit, as I wish to decline the dry good business. ANTHONY RHODES. October 8 2w

Grains and Yeast.

GRAINS may be had this day at 3 P. M. at my Brewery, and Yeast next week, From morning till 4 P. M. and both as usual during the season. ISAAC ENTWISLE. thstuw. October 15

Gross Herring.

THE subscriber has for sale about 75 barrels of inspected Herring No. 1, in good order; they were put up early last season, during cool weather. Also a good assortment of GROCERIES, as usual. JACKSON STURGES, Lower end of Prince-street, Alex'a. stuth5w. October 17

Removal.

JAS. & JACOB DOUGLAS have REMOVED to the commodious stores at the corner of King and Columbus streets, (two squares above their old stand) where they have on hand an extensive stock of Groceries, which they offer to punctual customers and cash dealers at low prices. Oct 15 44ththst47t

John W. Massie & Co.

HAVE just received per the ships New-Jersey, Boston, & America, from Liverpool, the principal part of their fall goods—Among the variety of goods received there are, Blacksmith's anvils; shovels & spades Vices and screw-plates Hammers, and frying-pans Iron traces and balter chains Plated bridle-bits and stirrups of the latest and most fashionable patterns Woolen and hemp webs; straining do Mill, cross cut, whip, land, and dove-tail saws Best blistered [L], Millington, Crowley, and cast steel English hoop iron; best saddle trees Shoe thread in balls All sizes of wagon boxes A few best fowling pieces, double and single barrel

A general assortment Swedish bar iron Together with a great variety of other articles in the Hardware line, all of which will be sold low. September 8

Briden, Morgan & Co.

HAVE imported per ships New-Jersey and America, from Liverpool, London superfine cloths and cassimeres Yorksire fine and superfine do Double milled drab cloths Pelisse and ladies do Merino shawls, scarlet, drab and French Bombazetts, plain and printed Ratennets do do Waistcoatings, various patterns Flannels, scarlet, red, yellow, green, drab and white (and green) Printed pelisse flannels, orange, scarlet Manchester cords and velveteens Cotton tickings and apron checks Sewing silks and twist. With a variety of other articles, comprising a handsome assortment of seasonable goods. stuth5w 9th mo. 26

Hugh Smith & Co.

HAVE received by the late arrivals a general assortment of Queens ware, Glass & China, which are offered for sale at reduced prices. They have also on hand, Window glass, of different sizes 150 boxes pipes, and 60 grindstones September 19 stuth6w

Mill Irons.

THE subscribers respectfully inform their friends and the public at large, that they have commenced making MILL IRONS, at their old stand, Union-street; they are provided with every thing necessary to carry on the business with neatness and dispatch. Orders from different parts of the country will be attended to, and promptly executed, in workmanship equal to any in the U. States. They continue to carry on the blacksmith's business in all its various branches as usual. RICHARD ROCK & Co. Sept 8 tuths

SALES AT AUCTION.

THIS DAY.

THE subscriber intending to move to the western country immediately, will offer a valuable sale, at his residence on Patrick-street, between King and Prince, a variety of HOUSEHOLD & KITCHEN FURNITURE. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, when the terms will be made known. WM. FRASER, Junr. Oct 23 P. G. MARSTELLER, Auct.

Property to Let.

WILL be offered at public auction, for one or a term of years, as shall be suit the purchasers, on Monday next at 4 in the afternoon, in front of the Exchange Coffee House, that lot of ground, with the fishery and other appurtenances, late the property of W. Hepburn, dec: now in the tenure of Mr. Edward Lloyd, situate on the river north of the town, containing about 9 acres. Also another lot well set with timothy and clover, near the former, containing about 3 acres, at present in the occupancy of Mr. John Green. Possession will be given on the 25th Decr. next. Attendance at the sale will be given by JONAH ISABELL, Esqrs. Oct 23 A. MCLEAN, 3t

For Sale,

At the office of the Alexandria Herald, THE CONFESSION OF JOSEPH HARE, alias Joseph Thompson Hare, ONE OF THE MAIL ROBBERS, Who was executed, together with John Alexander, at Baltimore, on the tenth day of Sept. 1818, for the robbery of the United States' Mail, near Hav

VERY superior Blacking Cakes, for sale by JAMES KENNEDY & SON, September 25

This day is published, AND for sale at the bookstore of JAMES KENNEDY & SON, The Controversy between B. & Quaro,

which appeared in the Alexandria newspapers in the year 1817, on some points of ROMAN CATHOLICISM:

To which is added AN APPENDIX, containing a brief notice of Luther—of the delinquencies of the Inquisition—and the Order of the Jesuits.

BY A PROTESTANT. Price in boards one dollar Sept 3

Books and Stationary.

ROBERT GRAY has just received for sale on commission, an invoice of Books and Stationary, among which are the following articles, viz: Sir Robert Wilson's sketch of the military and political power of Russia; Phillips's speeches; Sherry's bookkeeping; Say's catechism of political economy; Manners & customs; Accidents of life; Gibb's natural theology; Adams's history of all religions; Bennett's letters; history of the late war; Volney's Ruins; Browne of Bardsley; The Sisters; Pope's Essay on Man; Tales of my Landlord; Taylor's Inquiry; Travels at home; Domestic Medicine; Debates of the Virginia Convention, on the adoption of the Federal Constitution; Wright's Life of Christ and his apostles; Bonnet boards by the gross, dozen or single; superfine vellum cap writing paper; August 28

New Publications, &c. &c. Just received and for sale by the subscribers: TALE of my Landlord, 2 vols. 2nd series; New Tales, by Mrs. Opie, 2 vols; Capt. Hall's Account of a voyage of Discovery to the West Coast of Corea, and the Great Loo-Choo Island, with a chart; Bonnycastle's Algebra; Cummerie's Surveying; JAMES KENNEDY & SON, September 23 mwt

New Books. Just received on consignment, and for sale by the subscriber: TALE of my Landlord, second series; New Tales, by Mrs. Opie; D. E. Events of the French Revolution, by the Baroness de Stael; O'Reilly's Greenland; Johnson's quarto dictionary, vol. 1; Taylor's Atrator, 4th edition; Ruffe's tour on the continent; Village sermons; Olive-Branch; Dwight's geography for schools, in which Europe is divided according to the late act of the congress of Vienna; Also, A few copies of Bible News or Sacred Truths relating to the Living God, his only Son, and Holy Spirit, by Noah Worcester. A M Oct 16 ROBERT GRAY.

General Land Agency.

THE subscriber at the request of several non-residents and under a belief that an agency of this kind is much wanted in the state of Kentucky, will undertake in future, to give NON-RESIDENTS such information as they may desire respecting their lands—will also undertake to investigate claims, pay taxes, &c. He has also formed a connexion with Mr. Samuel Smith, of Kaskaskia, and will undertake to have transcribed and recorded Deeds for Military Land in the Illinois Territory, and will also undertake to have entered Public Lands in said Territory, and taxes paid for non-residents. He has also an agent at Washington City, and will undertake to have any claims upon government land liquidated and settled. The subscriber still continues to practice LAW in the several counties of Fayette, Woodford, and Jessamine. All business confided to his care, will receive the strictest attention. DAN. M'C. PAYNE, Lexington, Ky. July 14th, 1818 (October 19) 201

Bank of Potomac,

October 3, 1818. NOTICE is hereby given the stockholders of the Bank of Potomac, that a meeting for twelve directors will be held at the Court House, on Monday the 2nd day of Nov. next. The election to commence at 10, and end at 3 o'clock. By order of the board, Oct 3 C. PAGE, Cashier.

50 Dollars Reward.

ABSCONDED on Saturday morning, the 15th inst. negro George, or George Griffin, the property of Miss M'C. Call, a trade a nailer, and understands some part of the blacksmith's business; he is about 30 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, stout made, very black complexion, large eyes and mouth, with thick lips. He is very artful fellow and has been in the habit of obtruding himself as a free man, and will no doubt attempt to pass as such, and probably get work—has a down look who speaks to—His clothes not recollected, having various suits. A reward of 10 dollars will be given, taken in the town or county, 20 in the county of Washington or Fairfax, or the above reward if taken 50 miles from town, with all reasonable charges if brought home. Masters of vessels are cautioned against harboring or carrying off said runaway, as they will be dealt with according to law. JAMES SANDERSON, August 17

Orphans' Court, Alexandria County, 1818. September Term. ORDERED, That the administrators of John Violett, deceased, do insert the usual advertisement three times a week for four weeks in the Alexandria newspapers. A copy. Test, A. MOORE, Register of Wills.

This is to give Notice, That the subscribers, of Alexandria County, in the district of Columbia, have obtained from the Orphans' Court of said county, letters of administration on the personal estate of John Violett, late of the county aforesaid, deceased: all persons having claims against the said decedent, are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, passed by the Orphans' Court, on or before the 10th day of March next, or they may by law be excluded from all benefit to said estate—and those indebted thereto are required to make immediate payment. Given under our hands this 10th day of September, 1818. CATHARINE VIOLETT, ROBERT G. VIOLETT, Administrators of John Violett, dec.

Orphans' Court, Alexandria County, 1818. September Term. ORDERED, That the administrators of Archibald I. Taylor, deceased, do insert the usual advertisement three times in the Alexandria newspapers. A copy. Test, A. MOORE, Register of Wills.

This is to give notice, That the subscriber, of Alexandria County, in the district of Columbia, has obtained from the Orphans' Court of said county, letters of administration on the personal estate of Archibald I. Taylor, deceased: all persons having claims against the said decedent are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, passed by the Orphans' Court, on or before the 10th day of March next, or they may by law be excluded from all benefit to said estate, and those indebted thereto are required to make immediate payment. Given under my hand this 10th day of September, 1818. ELIZABETH TAYLOR, Adm'x. of Archibald I. Taylor, dec.

Orphans' Court, Alexandria County, 1818. September Term. ORDERED, That the executor of Christian Piles, deceased, do insert the usual advertisement three times a week for two weeks in the Alexandria newspapers. A copy. Test, A. MOORE, Register of Wills.

This is to give Notice, That the subscriber, of Alexandria County, in the district of Columbia, has obtained from the Orphans' Court of said county letters testamentary on the estate of Christian Piles, late of the county aforesaid, deceased: all persons having claims against the said decedent are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, passed by the Orphans' Court, on or before the 10th day of March next, or they may by law be excluded from all benefit to said estate, and those indebted thereto are required to make immediate payment. Given under my hand this 10th day of September, 1818. LEWIS PILES, Executor of Christian Piles, dec.

PROPOSALS, By Gideon Fairman, John Binns and Charles S. Parker, TO PUBLISH A Splendid Edition of Washington's Farewell Address, To the People of the United States.

THE world has seen enough of warriors and of Heroes—enough of Statesmen—of men who have guided Armies in the field, or dictated as Sages in the Cabinet, for the exclusive purpose of Ambition. History from its earliest page to the present day, has offered to our contemplation, only one WASHINGTON, but ONE MAN, whose dangers in war, and labors in peace, were undertaken and supported with a single eye, to the benefit of his country; whose wonderful and honorable success, was the plain result of wisdom in design, and valor in execution; whom danger never appalled, nor defeat depressed; who, persevering in the justice of his cause, wooed Victory till he won her: who coveted no reward but the well earned approbation of those whose interest he lived to promote; who renounced all public honors, when they ceased to be the necessary instruments of good to the people, whose gratitude conferred them: who superior to all Monarchs, was content to be called the

Aromatic Snuff, For Catarrh & Headach. THIS Snuff, as celebrated for its agreeable fragrance as for its efficacy in the cure of recent catarrh and slow nervous headache, is used and approved by the present professor of chemistry in the university of Cambridge, Mass. and by some of the most respectable gentlemen of the faculty in the United States. It is also particularly recommended by Dr. Waterhouse, late professor of the theory and practice of physic, in the above seminary—whose certificate accompanies each bottle.—Sold by JAMES KENNEDY & SON, Sole Agents for Alexandria. September 24

Auction & Commission Store. NATHL. P. BIXBY & CO. respectfully inform their friends and the public generally, that they have taken that large and commodious store formerly occupied by the late Mr. Thomas Robinson, nearly opposite the Union Bank, Bridge-st. where they will transact all kinds of business in the Auction and Commission line; and as they are determined to give their exclusive attention to that business alone, those gentlemen who are disposed to employ them, have the best guarantee that they will be fairly dealt by. They flatter themselves that a punctual, diligent, and correct attention, together with their general knowledge of business, will secure to them at least an equal share of public patronage. Their intention is to avoid, as much as possible, retailing goods at auction. They are now prepared to receive goods of every description, to sell at public or private sale, and will attend to sales of property at any place within the town. Georgetown, September 25 F3m

Notice. THE stockholders in the Leesburg turnpike company will please to take notice, that the fourth instalment of Ten Dollars on each share of stock by them subscribed, is requested to be paid on or before the first day of November next.—By order of the President and Directors. SAM'L CARR, Treas'r. September 22 Tu5w

Gone to the Southward or Westward. A YELLOW WOMAN, called Celia Detcher, in the 23d year of her age, about 5 feet 2 or 3 inches high—marks like moles on the right side of her face, which, with several letters on her left arm, were made with india ink. She is about four months gone in a state of pregnancy—followed her husband, Jim Clark, a yellow man, who was purchased from this place and taken away in company with a large number of slaves, about two weeks ago, by a man of the name of Basset. It is supposed they have gone to the westward: Celia was born free, and had with her a notarial certificate of her freedom, and description of her person. Her mother, the subscriber, is much afflicted by her manner of going away, and desires that any humane people who may chance to meet with her, will persuade her to return, being apprehensive that when she gets into a strange country, where she will be unknown and out of the reach of her friends and those who would be likely to protect her, attempts may be made by some avaricious and unprincipled persons, to deprive her of her liberty, and sell her for a slave. Should any such attempts be made, fifty dollars reward will be paid to any person who will communicate such information as shall lead to the conviction of the offenders, and the recovery of the woman. HANNAH DETCHER. Alexandria, October 6, 1818.

Notice. THE stockholders of the Fire Insurance Company of Alexandria are hereby notified, that an election will be held on the first Monday in November next, at their office, for twelve Directors for the ensuing year. The poll will open at 10 o'clock A. M. and close at 2 o'clock P. M. The transfer book will be closed from Wednesday the 28th instant, till after the election. J. B. NICKOLS, Sec'y. October 7 Tu3w

Alexandria, August 4. WAS committed to the jail of this Co. as a runaway, a negro man, who calls himself JOHN WEAKS, and says that he was born free in Prince George Co. Maryland, that his mother's name is Sally Green, who lives near the road leading from the Alexandria Ferry to the Eastern Branch bridge, adjoining one Hen. Thompson. He was committed to this jail on the 7th May last, and then called himself William Washington, but made his escape the 18th. He is about 25 years of age, 5 feet 7 inches high, stout made. Says he is known to Mr. Daniel Moxley, and Henry Thompson, of Maryland. The owner is requested to come and prove his property, pay charges, and take him away, otherwise he will be disposed of as the law directs. ANDREW ROUNSAVELL, Jailor. August 8 law2m

Ship Timber, &c. THE subscriber, residing on Mattawan Creek, in Charles County, Maryland, will dispose of (standing) a large quantity of first rate White Oak Ship Timber, Wharf Logs, Timber suited for Staves, Plank, Scantling, or other purposes, in any quantity; likewise several thousand cords Oak Wood. Particulars will find in their advantage to apply as the terms will be moderate, and there is navigable water to the spot. Wm. MASON. May 8

For Rent. THE excellent fire proof Brick Warehouse at corner of Prince and Union streets lately occupied by Mr. Sam'l Harper. For terms apply to J. H. LADD & Co. Oct 10

Building Lots for Sale. SUNDRY good lots upon Cameron, Pitt and Queen streets, on liberal credit, at reasonable prices to purchasers who would build thereon. For terms enquire of MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR. October 13

Houses for Sale. The premises on the South east corner of King and Henry streets, containing 2 good dwelling houses, with stores ready fitted up for business. Also, the brick dwelling house and store near to the former, lately in possession of Dennis M. Lyles, Esq. for whose time therein, the 7th of Feb. next, it may be rented. All the above property would be sold upon liberal credit, the payment being secured. Inquire of MANDEVILLE & LARMOUR. September 28 dtf

For Sale, A valuable Farm in Jefferson County. BY virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Chancery for the Fredericksburg District in Virginia, in a suit wherein the Executors of Gen. George Washington were complainants; and Gerard Alexander, Thomas L. Alexander, (by Ludwell Lee, R. d. H. L. Washington, John A. Washington, Bushrod C. Washington, and Mary Lee Washington, were defendants, will be exposed to sale to the highest bidder on the premises, on Friday the 20th day of November next, all that tract of land lying in Jefferson County, Virginia, on Bullskin, commonly called Rockhall, containing 540 acres, now in the occupation of John Saunders. The above tract of land lies about sixteen miles from Winchester, and about six from Charlestown, on the main road leading from Winchester to Baltimore, the city of Washington and Alexandria. It is well adapted to plaster and clover, and is in quality little inferior, if at all, to any farm in that fertile valley. The improvements on it are a large two story frame dwelling house, a barn and other necessary out houses.—The water is limestone and of excellent quality. The terms of sale will be one-third of the purchase money, and the balance to be paid with interest, in one, two and three annual instalments, to be secured by a deed of trust on the property. Any person wishing to view the land will be shown it upon application to John A. Washington or Bushrod C. Washington, living near it. Alfred A. Powell, Henry St. George Tucker, Robert Worthington. September 24 wst2oN

Land for Sale. THE subscriber offers for sale a tract of 80 acres of land, on the Colchester road, five miles from Alexandria, adjoining the lands of Haywood Foote and Dennis Johnston. The greater part of this tract is fine meadow land, abundant supplied with water. Also one other tract of 261 acres, on the Ravensworth road, about 6 miles from Alexandria, and one mile from the first mentioned tract, adjoining land of Thos. Janney and Mr. 4 Persons: the greater part of this tract is in wood, the soil good and highly susceptible of improvement from the use of plaster. If these lands are not sold before the first of January next, they will then be for rent. CHARLES SIMMS June 18

Alexandria, October 21. WAS committed to the jail of this Co. on the 17th inst. a runaway, a negro man, about 21 years of age, who calls himself JOHN, and says he is the property of John Gilworth, of Shepherdstown, Virginia, and that he has lately been hired to Thomas Mott, of Leesburg, Va. Said negro is about 6 feet high, has some impediment in his speech; had on an old hat, domestic jacket, and black silk vest. The owner is desired to come and prove property, pay charges and take him away, otherwise he will be disposed of as the law directs. ANDREW ROUNSAVELL, Jailor. Oct 22

Alexandria, October 21. WAS committed to the jail of this Co. on the 17th inst. a negro man who calls himself FRANCIS, and says he is the property of Washington Berry, Maryland. Said negro is about 21 years of age, 5 feet 9 or 10 inches high; had on a half worn fur hat, old country cloth jacket and pantaloons, very ragged. The owner is desired to come and prove property, pay charges and take him away, otherwise he will be disposed of as the law directs. ANDREW ROUNSAVELL, Jailor. October 22 law1f

Notice. THE 5th dividend of the assets of the estate of Thompson Violett, deceased, is hereby declared payable to the creditors on Tuesday the 20th inst. ISAAC ROBINS, Administrator. 1818. d3tcmwft3t Oct 14

Columbian Insurance Office, Alexandria, 15th October, 1818. NOTICE is hereby given to the stockholders of the Columbian Insurance Company of Alexandria, that an election will be held at their office on Monday the second day of November next, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 2 P. M. for eleven directors, being stockholders, citizens of the United States, and residents of the district of Columbia or the county of Fairfax. By order of the board, WM. WILSON, Secy. October 16 instat2w

HOUSES, LANDS, &c. For Sale or Rent. THAT valuable property called CONWAY'S WHARF, with the Warehouses thereon fronting on Union-street. The warehouses will be rented separately required. For terms apply to WM. HERBERT, jr. August 25

Public Sale. IN pursuance of a decree of the circuit court for the county of Alexandria, will be sold at auction on the thirtieth day of this month (October) on the premises for cash, that house and lot of ground on King-street, formerly the residence of Wm. Newton, deceased, and now occupied by Francis Adams: A. NEWTON, Commiss. THOS. SWANN, {s. oners. October 1 1030

Valuable Land for Sale. HAVING more land in the tract on which I reside than I can farm to advantage, I will expose to public sale, on the 5th day of NOVEMBER next, if fair, if not the next fair day, eight hundred acres, divided into lots of two hundred acres: each lot has seventy acres in wood—of the cleared land one hundred and fifty acres are in clover, and two hundred in rye and wheat. This land is situated ten miles below Alexandria, and is bounded north and east by Accotink creek, which separates the lower part of it from Jonathan Janney's mill, where the Alexandria price can be had for grain.—It is as fertile as any land in the county, and as susceptible of improvement, by clover and plaster, as any I have seen. Persons wishing to view it will call on the subscriber, living at Cedar Grove, one mile below Janney's mill. The terms will be one-third of the purchase money in hand, and the balance in two equal annual payments. The sale will take place at 12 o'clock, on the premises. EDGAR MCCARTY. Fairfax Co. Va. October 6

Gunston for Sale. THIS elegant estate is situated on the Potomac, 16 miles below Alexandria.—It is bounded on three sides by the Potomac and Potobek creeks, and contains nearly 3,000 acres of land, level and fertile, to which are attached six shade and herring fisheries, two of which command the river channel. This land will be laid off in four tracts, so as to have one or more fisheries to each; these tracts will be again divided if requisite. This estate is level and beautifully situated, very fertile, and remarkably healthy. Plaster acts with an effect equal to that of any part of Virginia or Pennsylvania.—I have used 500 bushels in twelve months, and such is its beneficial operation, that were I to keep this land I should considerably increase the quantity. A manufacturing mill is distant about two miles, on a stream navigable for vessels carrying 1200 bushels of wheat, where the Baltimore and Dist. of Columbia prices are given for grain: being bounded on 3 sides by water, a small extent only of fence is necessary to enclose the whole: It would be admirably adapted to grazing. The improvements are a large and very substantial brick mansion, 40 by 70 feet, with every necessary out-house, three corn-crofts, barns, houses for Negroes, and fish houses at each of the fisheries. 120,000 bricks and 1000 bushels of lime are just burnt on the premises. There is a considerable extent of fine fence, both useful and ornamental, two orchards of well selected apples and peach, besides an abundance of other choice fruit. More than 150 acres are in clover, 200 in corn, and land is in preparation for sowing 250 bushels of small grain.—Any quantity of hay can be cut from the low grounds, some of which (and all might,) have been reclaimed at a trifling expense. The river and creeks, abound with wild fowl, particularly canvas backs, the woods with deer and a variety of other game. Mules, cattle, highly improved sheep, farming utensils and household furniture can be had. The terms of sale will be accommodating. Property in any of the cities, negroes, bank stock, western lands, or lands near the Ridge, will be taken in payment.—Letters must be addressed to me at Potobek Church, Fairfax county, Virginia. September 4 GEORGE MASON.

Valuable Property for Sale. THE subscriber is desirous of selling a handsomely situated farm, on Hunting creek, in Fairfax county Virginia, adjoining the Mount Vernon estate and the lands of general Thomson Mason, four miles from Alexandria, containing about 240 acres, 80 of which are in wood—40 to 50 in thriving meadow of clover and timothy—a part of the residue recently seeded with wheat and rye, and clover, last spring—the whole enclosed with a new post and rail fence.—The improvements are, a comfortable and convenient frame dwelling house and kitchen, smoke house, poultry house, granary and stables.—There is on this place a rich and productive garden, and a large body of marsh meadow, from which may be saved annually 100 tons of hay, nearly as nutritious as the best timothy or clover.—With the farm would be sold a number of very valuable horses, cows and sheep; waggon, carts, and a variety of farming utensils and household and kitchen furniture; corn, oats and rye, and 40 tons hay. Also, adjoining the one above described, a farm containing 180 acres, recently enclosed, on which is a brick house, which a trifling expense would render comfortable. The soil is excellent, and a considerable part might be easily converted into meadow.—It would be sold with the other or separately. Also, a number of valuable servants, male and female. To prevent unnecessary application, he would observe, that they will only be sold to persons residing in the District or its vicinity, and not to be carried from it. The subscriber will also sell the greater part of his household furniture, which is new and handsome. For terms of all the above property, apply to NOBLET HERBERT, esq. of

FRANCIS ADAMS, Jr. Oct 8